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THURSDAY, Nov. 10, 1910.

The best way to help your town grow is to crow.

An exchange says: A friend in need is a real surprise.

It takes Uncle Sam longer too add up his census figures than it did to count his children.

There are few things in life so comfortable as old friends and old shoes. Do not be in haste to discard either.

Be an optimist, and if you run against a brick wall in the dark, just imagine that it is marble and was especially reserved for you.

It is funny how men who have been a dismal failure in everything else they have ever tackled will imagine they are a howling success as politicians and political prophets.

One of our exchanges revives that old saying about people digging their graves with their teeth. It is true to an extent, but there are a good many people who insist upon using a corkscrew in carrying on this interesting job.

The Times says that New York is now suffering from an "air famine" which is the result of a large number of people crowded together in a small area. We cannot understand why people crowd themselves so close that they can't get air enough to breathe, when there is plenty of room and the finest air in the world here in Washington county.

ST. ANDREWS.

Miss Ethel Purcell spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Panama City.

Miss Jessie Lassitter, of Panama City, spent a few days here this week with friends.

The Oaks hotel has again changed managers. Mr. C. Satterland now has the management.

Miss Annie Pippen, of Vernon, spent Saturday and Sunday here, the guest of her cousin, Miss Lizzie Tiller.

The injury to the bank building is being repaired. The injury was caused by the burning of Mr. Folsom's house very near the bank.

The steamer Tarpon made her regular trip Friday, having a large cargo, doubly large on account of the Manteo being off the run for the past three weeks for repairs.

Mr. Charlie Niese died here Friday after a lingering illness, and was buried Saturday afternoon. Mr. Niese being a young man, made it harder to give him up. We extend sympathy to the bereaved relatives and friends.

DEADENING.

Jack frost paid us a visit Saturday night.

Bud Taylor attended court at Vernon last week.

We are having some very cool weather this week.

Lonny Finch was smiling at the girls Saturday night.

J. H. Barfield was a visitor in this community Monday.

Rev. Robinson held services at Gap Pond church Sunday.

John Taylor went fishing on the Porter Pond Saturday.

R. A. Barfield was a visitor at the Deadenings still Monday.

John Taylor and son attended the fair at Chipley last week.

Miss Martha Taylor paid the Deadenings still a visit Saturday.

The people have dug their seed cane and are getting ready to grind.

Lots of fishing and hunting is being done through this community now.

Leonard Johns was casting smiles at some of the girls Saturday night.

Mrs. T. D. Johns and children were pleasant visitors at John W. Taylor's Sunday.

The round about school being taught by Miss Eliza Payne, is going on all O. K.

Wesley Finch and family, of Gap Pond, were visiting at James Vickery's Sunday.

It is time the Thanksgiving turkey was in the pen and getting their chops, for the day will soon be here.

Health is good in this community and the young people are wanting to hear of a dance, so they can enjoy the cool nights.

William Hutchison, who has been very sick for some time, died last Wednesday. He leaves six children and wife to mourn his death.

Don't forget that J. R. McGeechy has a full line of shoes of all description for everybody, and it will pay you to see him before buying.

Will whiskey dissolve sugar? It most surely will; likewise it will dissolve gold, brick houses and horses and happiness and love and everything else worth having.

William A. Blount

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Candidate For

United States

Senator.



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BRADFORD.

Dock Suggs made a business trip to Wausau Monday.

Elma Riley, of Wausau, was in our little burg Sunday evening.

Rev. Parker filled his regular appointment at the Bridge Sunday.

Ned Simmons and wife spent Sunday with D. F. Carter and family.

Quite a crowd from our little burg attended court at Vernon last week.

William Daniel, Jr., attended the Freewill Association at Duncan Saturday.

Henry Bell and wife, of Duncan, spent Monday with their son, George Bell.

'Possum hunting, tater digging and cane grinding is the occupation of the day.

We are glad to note that the little child of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harrell's is improving.

Misses Mae and Ezella Daniel were the pleasant guest of W. B. Daniel and family Saturday.

Eddie Everitt and William Daniel, Jr., leaves this morning, (Tuesday) to attend the great fair at Pensacola.

Mrs. Rosetta McDuffee and daughter, Miss Mae Daniel, of Geneva, Ala., are visiting relatives at this place.

W. B. Daniel and wife spent the latter part of last week with their son, T. L. Daniel and family, at Compass Lake.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. George Bell has a very bad case of erysipelas on its head and face, but we hope it will soon recover.

Ye scribe has a kind feeling toward all who have worn the white ribbon, and who voted the dry ticket and will stand for prohibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, of Myers' still will leave this week for their new home in Ala. We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Hall, as we had learned to love them. We wish them success.

We call your special attention to one car of Page Woven wire fence. We guarantee it to be the best wire fence on the market, being made from solid spring steel.—Dunn Hardware Co.

John Stockton's Space

A Little Journey to the Firesides of the Common People.

BY ONE OF THEM.

SURELY, there is a great and increasing majority of all the people of Florida who regard the office of United States Senator as part of the heritage bequeathed to them by the revolutionary fathers, in perpetuity and without charge or liability to assessment, restriction, curtailment or alienation.

This being so—and it is to be hoped that no one will dispute it, and thereby declare himself a member in good standing of the Ancient Order of Old Fogies—it follows that all (but few of us) feel that the office of United States Senator should be filled by a man who—as our friend W. J. B., of Nebraska, says—"has a heart in rhythm moved by the heartbeat of humanity, and not in cadence with the pulsations of the full pocketbook."

Bowing to the will of the majority is almost pure Democratic doctrine. Therefore, it follows that it is well to give ear and heed to the sentiment preponderating when we are submitting a senatorial candidate to the acid test.

JOHN N. C. STOCKTON IS A SENATORIAL CANDIDATE.

HE IS ALSO A MAN IN HEART TOUCH WITH HUMANITY.

His forty years' record as a business man in Florida is unmarred by a single instance of ungenerous treatment of rivals or serious disagreement with associates.

All those with whom he has dealt in business have good words to say of him.

He has helped, to the utmost of his means, those who have applied to him for aid and counsel.

He aided the churches, the schools, the hospitals and was active in the organization of other agencies helpful to humanity.

He has been active in relief work in time of stress. Sufferers from the yellow fever epidemic of 1898 and from the conflagration of 1901 knew his name.

He has warm friends among the men and women who work for wages which his acts as a public official and a private citizen have drawn to him.

He early learned the lesson that the wage-earners, the small merchants and the farmers pay nearly all the expenses of government and he has denounced the tariff as the chief conspirator in this pillage of the poor.

He has publicly declared that the high cost of living in the crime of the government, because it is directly due to special favors from congress to special favorites.

He is a student of governmental problems, and might therefore, be called by a high-sounding name, but we are considering in this little treatise the common people, which brings us back to the place of beginning—this, by the way, being the best place to end—to say

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